and San Bernardino counties; H.R. 3438, to make certain improvements with respect to judicial proceedings relating to American Samoa; H.R. 3492, to provide for division venue to certain Federal civil cases in which a single defendant resides in the Northern Division of the Eastern District of Missouri; H.R. 3707, to allow the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida to be held in Lakeland; H.R. 4399, to provide that the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania shall also sit in Lancaster, Pennsylvania; and H.R. 4900, Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals Reorganization Act of 1990. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dannemeyer and Volkmer; Kevin Jones, Director, Office of Policy Development, Department of Justice; and L. Ralph Mecham, Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts.

INSURANCE COMPETITION PRICING ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1663, Insurance Competition Pricing Act of 1989.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law acted on private immigration bills.

FUTURE OF OUR NATION'S INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Continued hearings to examine the future of our Nation's Infrastructure Needs. Testimony was heard from Marvin Runyon, Chairman, Board of Directors, TVA; and public witnesses

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 3533, Earthquake Hazards Reduction Act of 1977 Amendments Act; H.R. 4949, Federal Aviation Administration Research, Engineering and Development Authorization Act of 1990; and H.R. 1268, National Biological Diversity Conservation and Environmental Research Act.

ROLE OF THE NATIONAL LABORATORIES IN SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held a hearing on the Role of the National Laboratories in Science, Engineering and Mathematics Education. Testimony was heard from James F. Decker, Director, Energy Research, Department of Energy: Nicholas P. Samios. Director, Brookhaven National Laboratory; Ira Bornstein, Office of the Director, Argonne National Laboratory; Herman A. Grunder, Director, Southeastern Universities Research As-

sociation, Continuous Electron Beam Accelerator Facility; and public witnesses.

EMPLOYMENT RETIREMENT INCOME SECURITY ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight continued hearings on the enforcement and administration of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. Testimony was heard from Joseph Delfico, Senior Associate Director, GAO; Robert Brauer, Assistant Commissioner, Employee Plans and Exempt Organizations, IRS, Department of the Treasury; the following officials of the Department of Labor: David Ball, Assistant Secretary, Pension and Welfare Benefits; and Raymond Maria, Deputy Inspection General; John C. Keeney, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; James Lockhart, Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation; and public witnesses.

JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES AT SSA

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on the Judicial Independence of Administrative Law Judges at the SSA. Testimony was heard from Gregory J. McDonald, Associate Director, Income Security Issues, Human Resources Division, GAO; Gwendolyn S. King, Commissioner, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; the following Administrative Law Judges: Richard F. Sprague; Russell S. Barone; Gilbert Drucker, all with the Office of Hearings and Appeals, Chicago, Illinois; and William D. Boham, Office of Hearings and Appeals, Oak Park, Michigan; and public witnesses.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to conclude hearings on the Fiscal Year 1991 Intelligence Budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

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Measures Introduced: Thirteen bills and one resolution were introduced as follows: S. 2734–2746, and S. Res. 300.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

- S. 2740, to provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources, to authorize the United States Army Corps of Engineers civil works program to construct various projects for improvements to the Nation's infrastructure. (S. Rept. No. 101–333)
- H.J. Res. 555, to commemorate the bicentennial of the enactment of the law which provided civil government for the territory from which the State of Tennessee was formed.
- S. 670, to recognize the organization known as The Retired Enlisted Association, Incorporated.
- S.J. Res. 248, to designate the month of September 1990 as "International Visitor's Month".
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- S.J. Res. 321, to designate the week of August 19 through 25, 1990, as "National Agricultural Research Week".
- S.J. Res. 330, to commemorate the bicentennial of the enactment of the law which provided civil government for the territory from which the State of Tennessee was formed.
- S.J. Res. 331, to designate the week of September 23 through 29, 1990, as "Religious Freedom Week".
- S.J. Res. 333, to designate the week of September 30, 1990, through October 6, 1990, as "National Job Skills Week".

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Measures Passed:

Family and Medical Leave Act: Senate passed H.R. 770, to entitle employees to family leave in certain cases involving a birth, an adoption, or a serious health condition and to temporary medical leave in certain cases involving a serious health condition, with adequate protection of the employees' employment and benefit rights, and to establish a commission to study ways of providing salary replacement for employees who take any such leave.

Prior to this action, Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill.

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Congressional Budget Resolution: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 310, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1991, 1992, and 1993, after striking all after the resolving clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. Con. Res. 110, Senate companion measure, and after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Sasser Amendment No. 2022, of a perfecting nature.

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Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed conferees on the behalf of the Senate, as follows: Senators Sasser, Fowler, and Domenici.

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Acadian Culture Preservation: Senate passed S. 1756, to provide for the preservation and interpretation of sites associated with Acadian culture in the State of Maine, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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Vicksburg National Military Park: Senate passed S. 2437, to authorize the acquisition of certain lands in the State of Louisiana for inclusion in the Vicksburg National Military Park, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Sunset Crater Volcano National Monument: Senate passed S. 2566, to redesignate the Sunset Crater National

Monument as the Sunset Crater Volcano National Monument.

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St. Marys River Study: Senate passed H.R. 76, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to study the eligibility of the St. Marys River in the States of Florida and Georgia for potential addition to the Wild and Scenic Rivers System, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park Commission: Senate passed H.R. 3545, to amend the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Development Act to make certain changes relating to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park Commission.

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Selma to Montgomery National Trails Study: Senate passed H.R. 3834, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the route from Selma to Montgomery for study for potential addition to the national trails system.

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NASA/Land Acquisition: Senate passed S. 2181, to authorize the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to purchase approximately 8 acres of land at the Fort Sumner Municipal Airport, De Baca County, New Mexico.

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Chama River Gateway Region Interpretation and Visitor Education: Senate passed S. 2014, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to provide interpretation and visitor education regarding the rich cultural heritage of the Chama River Gateway Region of northern New Mexico, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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Weir Farm Natural Historic Site: Senate passed S. 2059, to establish the Weir Farm Natural Historic Site in the State of Connecticut, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Authorizing the Absence of Senator Rockefeller: Senate agreed to S. Res. 300, to authorize the absence of Senator John D. Rockefeller IV.

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National Affordable Housing Act—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. 566, to authorize a new corporation to support State and local strategies for achieving more affordable housing and to increase homeownership on Monday, June 18.

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Flag Desecration/Constitutional Amendment—Agreement: A unanimous-consent time agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S.J. Res. 332, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United

States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States, and amendments to be proposed thereto.

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Omnibus Crime Bill—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of S. 1970, to establish constitutional procedures for the imposition of the sentence of death, and certain amendments to be proposed thereto.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Richard C. Brown, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Oriental Republic of Uruguay.

Townsend B. Friedman, Jr., of Illinois, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of Mozambique.

Richard V. Bertain, of California, to be Associate Director of the ACTION Agency.

Page 14270 Messages From the House: Page 14223 Measures Referred: Page 14223 Communications: Page 14223 Petitions: Page 14224 **Executive Reports of Committees:** Page 14230 Statements on Introduced Bills: Page 14231 Additional Cosponsors: Page 14247 Amendments Submitted: Page 14249 Notices of Hearings: Page 14252 **Authority for Committees:** Page 14253 Additional Statements: Page 14253

Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 10:28 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Monday, June 18, 1990. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page 14270.)

Committee Meetings

1990 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee resumed consideration of proposed legislation to strengthen and improve U.S. agricultural programs, focusing on sugar and flexibility provisions, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again Tuesday, June 19.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Adm. Frank B. Kelso II, USN, to be Chief of Naval Operations, and Gen. Michael J. Dugan, USAF, to be Chief of Staff of the United States Air Force, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

B-2 BOMBER

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence held hearings on the Interim Report by the Independent Review Group on the B–2 bomber, receiving testimony from George R. Schneiter, Acting Deputy Director (Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces), Office of Director, Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense; and Philip L. Major and George E. Koleszar, both of the Institute for Defense Analyses, Alexandria, Virginia.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

AMERICAN INDUSTRY IN FOREIGN COMPETITION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings to examine the competitive position of American industry in the world economy, receiving testimony from Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOAA OCEAN AND COASTAL PROGRAMS/ FLORIDA KEYS MARINE SANCTUARY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1991 and 1992 for ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), after receiving testimony from John A. Knauss, Under Secretary for Oceans and Atmosphere, Alan Thomas, Assistant Administrator for Ocean and Atmospheric Research, Andy Robertson, Chief of Ocean Assessment Division, Office of Oceanography and Marine Assessment, and Don Scavia, Office of the Chief Scientist for Coastal Ocean Programs, all of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; and to review issues involving NOAA's coastal environmental monitoring program, after receiving testimony from Donald Boesch, National Research Council, National Academy of Sciences.

Also, committee concluded hearings on S. 2247, to establish the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary, after receiving testimony from Craig Quirolo, Reef Relief, Key West, Florida; Pat Yenanton, PRIDE, Islamorada, Florida; and Bob Holston, Florida Association of Dive Operators, Key Largo.

GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings on the science of global climate change, focusing on seeking a global consensus, receiving testimony from Robert T. Watson, Earth Science and Applications Division, Office of Space Science and Applications, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Alan D. Hecht, Deputy Assistant Administrator for International Activities, Environmental Protection Agency;

and Frederick M. Bernthal, Deputy Director, National Science Foundation.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Ming Hsu, of New Jersey, to be a Commissioner of the Federal Maritime Commission, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Bradley, testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the Income Tax Convention with Spain (Treaty Doc. 101-16), Tax Convention with the Republic of Finland (Treaty Doc. 101-11), Tax Convention with the Federal Republic of Germany (Treaty Doc. 101-10), Supplementary Protocol to the Tax Convention with the Tunisian Republic (Treaty Doc. 101-9), Council of Europe-OECD Convention on Mutual Administrative Assistance in Tax Matters (Treaty Doc. 101-6), Tax Convention with the Republic of India (Treaty Doc. 101-5), and Tax Convention with the Republic of Indonesia (Treaty Doc. 100-22), after receiving testimony from Kenneth W. Gideon, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; Harrison J. Cohen, Legislation Counsel, Joint Committee on Taxation; Frank Kittredge and Robert T. Cole, both of the National Foreign Trade Council, Robert J. Patrick, U.S. Chamber of Commerce Taxation Committee, and Joel Pangborne, United Shipowners of America Tax Committee, all of Washington, D.C.; and Charles Tingley, Transamerica Leasing, Inc., White Plains, New York.

INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON SCIENCE/ MATHEMATICS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 1951, to establish a Federal Interagency Council on Science, Mathematics and Technology Education to promote cooperation and coordination among federal agencies that administer programs in science and math education, receiving testimony from Senator Hatfield; J. Thomas Ratchford, Associate Director for Policy and International Affairs, Office of Science and Technology Policy; Luther Williams, Assistant Director for Education and Human Resources, National Science Foundation; Christopher T. Cross, Assistant Secretary of Education for Educational Research and Improvement; Richard E. Stephens, Director, University and Industry Division, Office of Field Operations and Management, Office of Energy Research, Department of Energy; John Andelin, Assistant Director, Science, Information and Natural Resources Division, Office of Technology Assessment; and Sue Kemnitzer, Task Force on Women, Minorities, and the Handicapped in Science and Technology, Washington, D.C. It shows a mendment of the shoutdening of the I.J.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably

reported the following business items:

The nominations of Robert H. Cleland, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, Richard J. Hankinson, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of Justice, Jimmy C. Carter, to be United States Marshal for the Southern District of Georgia, and Gary E. Shovlin, to be United States Marshal for the Middle District of Pennsylvania;

- S.J. Res. 248, to designate the month of September 1990 as "International Visitor's Month";
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- S.J. Res. 331, to designate the week of September 23 through 29, 1990, as "Religious Freedom Week";
- S.J. Res. 333, to designate the week of September 30, 1990, through October 6, 1990, as "National Job Skills Week";
- S. 670, to recognize the organization known as The Retired Enlisted Association, Incorporated;
- S.J. Res. 183, proposing an amendment to the Constitution relating to a Federal balanced budget, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and
- S. 1931, to prevent the discharge in a chapter 13 bankruptcy proceeding of certain debts arising out of the debtor's operation of a motor vehicle while legally intoxicated, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

VA HEALTH CARE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen and improve health care for veterans, including Title II and Section 402 of S. 2100, S. 2701, committee Amendment No. 2019 to S. 2100, Titles I and III and Section 401 of H.R. 4557, S. 1860, S. 2455, S. 2456, S. 2532, S. 2542, and S. 2557, after receiving testimony from Senator Boren; Arthur J. Lewis, Acting Chief Medical Director, David Lewis, Assistant Secretary for Acquisition and Facilities, Ronald E. Cowles, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Personnel and Labor Relations, Frank D. Derville, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Financial Management, and Audley Hendricks, Assistant General Counsel, all of the Department of Veterans Affairs; Spencer Falcon, Chief, Psychiatry, Ann Arbor, Michigan VA Medical Center, representing the American Psychiatric Association and the National Association of VA Chiefs of Psychiatry; Thomas L. Garthwaite, Chief of Staff, Milwaukee, Wisconsin VA Medical Center, representing the National Association of VA Chiefs of Staff; W. Mark Tucker, Chief, Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Tampa, Florida VA Medical Center, representing the National Association of VA Physicians and Dentists; Trinidad S. Ortega, Instructor, Nursing Education, Chicago, Illinois (West Side) Va Medical

Center, representing the American Nurses Association; I. Dodd Wilson, University of Arkansas College of Medicine, Little Rock, representing the Association of American Medical Colleges; John C. Bollinger, Paralyzed Veterans of America, Frank C. Buxton and Samuel J. Walsh, both of the American Legion, Dennis M. Cullinan, Veterans of Foreign Wars, John S. Edwards and Charles M. Williams, both of the American Ex-Prisoners of War, David W. Gorman, Disabled American Veterans, Thomas A. Sherwood, Vietnam Veterans of America, Paul W. Schafer, National Association of VA Physicians and Dentists, Vivian Greer and Steve Kriesberg, both of the National Federation of Federal Employees, Jimmy R. Whitman, American Federation of Government Employees, AFL-CIO, and J. Paul Molloy, Greg Heafner, and Kary Thomas, all of the Oxford House, Inc., all of Washington, D.C.

INDIAN NURSE SHORTAGE

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded oversight hearings to examine the nurse shortage situation in Indian health services, after receiving testimony from Rear Adm. Faye Abdellah, Uniform Services, University of Health Sciences, Department of Defense; Ada Sue Hinshaw, Director, National Center for Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health, Capt. Everett Rhoades, Director, and Audrey Koertvelyessy, Director, Division of Nursing, both of the Indian Health Service, all of the Department of Health and Human Services; Alvin Windy Boy and John Sun Child, both of the Chippewa Cree Tribal Council, Rocky Boy Reservation, Montana; Shelly Crow, Creek Nation Community Health Board, Okmulgee, Oklahoma; Jean Frost and Marie Allen, representing the American Nurses' Association, both of the Navajo Area Indian Health Service, Window Rock, Arizona; KoLynn Powell, Yakima PHS Indian Health Center, Toppenish, Washington; Rita Carty, George Mason University, Fairfax, Virginia; Kathleen Long, Montana State University, Bozeman; Carmen Westwick, South Dakota State University, Brookings, representing the American Association of Colleges of Nursing; and John C. Slocumb, representing the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, of Washington, D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 5041–5065; 1 private bill, H.R. 5066; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 603–605, H. Con. Res. 339, and H. Res. 412–415 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3859, to authorize assistance to the Washington Center for Internships and Academic Seminars (H. Rept. 101–539);

H. Res. 413, waiving certain points of order during consideration of H.R. 5019, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1991 (H. Rept. 101–540);

H.R. 3446, to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for a shock incarceration program, amended (H. Rept. 101–541); and

H.R. 4329, American Technology Preeminence Act, amended (H. Rept. 101–481, Part II).

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Rahall wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Education and Labor; and a letter from Representative Spratt wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Government Operations.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 412, electing Representative Spratt to the Committee on the Budget; and Representative Mfume to the Committee on Education and Labor.

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Reclamations Projects Authorization: House passed H.R. 2567, to authorize additional appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming.

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Agreed to the Interior and Insular Affairs Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed To:

The Miller of California technical amendment:

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The Miller of California amendment, as amended by the DeFazio amendment, that ensures that farms larger than 960 acres do not receive federally subsidized irrigation water; and those entities that receive subsidized water must be citizens of the United States or resident aliens (agreed to by a recorded vote of 316 ayes to 97 noes, Roll No. 170);

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The Gejdenson amendment, as amended by the Dorgan of North Dakota and de la Garza amendments, that phases out Federal subsidies for irrigation water used to grow "surplus" crops, with exceptions for contracts dealing with the Garrison Diversion Project in North Dakota, and if the Secretary of Agriculture determines that these crops exceed the necessary reserve to meet a shortage caused by drought, natural disaster, or other disruption in the supply of such crops (agreed to by a recorded vote of 338 ayes to 55 noes, Roll No. 171);

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The Traficant amendment that establishes "Buy American" requirements applicable to new projects and to fu-

ture construction on the Buffalo Bill Dam; and allows the Department of the Interior to award to a domestic firm a contract that would otherwise be awarded to a foreign firm, if that domestic firm's final product will be completely assembled in the United States, not less than 50 percent of the final product, when fully assembled, will be domestically produced, and the domestic firm's bid is not more than 6 percent higher than that of the foreign firm's bid;

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The Morrison of Washington amendment that instructs DOI to transfer a specified parcel of land in Sunnyside, Washington, to the Sunnyside Irrigation District; and

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The Shumway amendment that instructs the DOI to sell, for the remaining value of the water supply contract, the Sly Park unit of the Central Valley Project in California to the El Dorado Irrigation District.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Rejected:

The Lehman of California amendment to the Miller of California amendment, that sought to exclude family trusts, where all the beneficiaries of the trust are from no more than three generations, and are related by blood, and are at least 18 years old, from provisions that prohibit farms larger than 960 acres from receiving federally subsidized irrigation water (rejected by a recorded vote of 118 ayes to 297 noes, Roll No. 169).

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The Miller of California amendment was offered and subsequently withdrawn that sought to place restrictions on additional funds for the Buffalo Bill Dam if Wyoming does not establish appropriate requirements regarding the release of water from the dam and the protection of fisheries and the river habitat.

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Niobrara River Scenic River Designation: House agreed to H. Res. 410, providing for the consideration of S. 280, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating a segment of the Niobrara River in Nebraska as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System.

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Petroglyph National Monument: House agreed to the Senate amendments to the House amendments to S. 286, to establish the Petroglyph National Monument in the State of New Mexico—clearing the measure for the President.

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AIDS Prevention Act: The Speaker appointed the following conferees to the conference on S. 2240, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide grants to improve the quality and availability of care for individuals

and families with HIV disease: Representatives Dingell, Waxman, Rowland of Georgia, Lent, and Madigan.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 14061, 14062, and 14078. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on District of Columbia continued hearings on Public Safety and Justice and also held hearings on Enterprise Funds, and on Public Education System. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Herbert O. Reid, Sr., Corporation Counsel; Walter B. Ridley, Director, Department of Corrections; Robert Lester, Acting Director, Office of Criminal Justice Plans and Analysis; Richard Maulsby, Executive Director, Office of Cable Television; Nathaniel Bush, President and Andrew E. Jenkins, III, Superintendent of Schools, both with the Board of Education; and Frederick B. Abramson, Chairman, Board of Governors, Law School.

OVERSIGHT BOARD—RESOLUTION TRUST CORPORATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing to receive the semiannual report of the Oversight Board of the Resolution Trust Corporation (P.L. 101–73). Testimony was heard from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury; Jack Kemp, Secretary, Housing and Urban Development; the following officials of the Oversight Board of the Resolution Trust Corporation: Peter H. Monroe, President; and Robert Larson, Independent Member; the following officials of the Federal Reserve System: Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors; and William Taylor, Director, Division of Banking Supervision and Regulation.

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEMS BUDGET AND PROPOSALS TO CONTROL INFLATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy held a hearing on the budget of the Federal Reserve System and proposals to control inflation. Testimony was heard from Representative Dannemeyer; and the following members of the Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System: Wayne D. Angell; and Edward W. Kelley, Jr.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Sub-committee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on H.R. 486, Defense Production Act Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Antonio Lopez, Associate Director, National Preparedness, FEMA; David Berteau, Principle Deputy Assistant Secretary (Production and Logistics), Department of Defense; Guy Caruso, Director, Office of Energy Emergency and Evaluation, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary, Energy Emergency, Office of International Affairs and Energy Emergencies, Department of Energy; John Richards, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Industrial Resources Administration, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

NUCLEAR FACILITIES OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held a hearing on H.R. 3521, Nuclear Facilities Occupational Safety Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Gerald F. Scannell, Assistant Secretary, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Department of Labor; and Peter Brush, Acting Assistant Secretary, Environment, Safety and Health, Department of Energy.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 4808, Solar, Wind and Geothermal Power Productions Incentives Act of 1990; H.R. 711, amended, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of State energy conservation programs carried out; and H.R. 830, Fairness in Bargaining Act of 1989.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 4808, Solar, Wind and Geothermal Power Productions Incentives Act of 1990. Testimony was heard from J. Michael Davis, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewables, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

PEPPER COMMISSION'S REPORT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on the Pepper Commission's findings and recommendations regarding public financing and delivery of long-term care services. Testimony was heard from Senator Rockefeller, Chairman, U.S. Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care (Pepper Commission); and public witnesses.

ISSUANCE OF SUBPOENAS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing approved the issuance of a subpoena to Leonard Briscoe and the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum for his records at the Worthington Hotel, Fort Worth, Texas.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: S. 830, to amend Public Law 99–647, establishing the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission, to authorize the Commission to take immediate action in furtherance of its purposes and to increase the authorization of appropriations for the Commission; H.R. 3888, to allow a certain parcel of land in Rockingham County, Virginia, to be used for a child care center; and H.R. 3617, to transfer jurisdiction of certain public lands in the State of Utah to the Forest Service.

FEDERAL DEBT COLLECTION PROCEDURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held a hearing on proposed Federal debt collection procedures, Testimony was heard from Representative Gekas; from the following U.S. Attorneys: Bob Wortham, Eastern District of Texas; Charles W. Larson, Northern District of Iowa; Joseph M. Whittle, Western District of Kentucky; and Louis G. DeLalaise, Eastern District of Kentucky; and public witnesses.

AQUATIC NUISANCE SPECIES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and the Great Lakes, Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation held a joint hearing on H.R. 4214, to prevent and control infestations of the coastal and inland waters of the United States by the zebra mussel, and other nonindigenous aquatic nuisance species. Testimony was heard from Representatives Nowak, Dingell, Bonior, Ridge and Kaptur; Constance B. Harriman, Assistant Secretary, Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior; Capt. Ted Thompson, USCG, Chief, Port Safety and Security Division, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

AVIATION SAFETY AND CAPACITY EXPANSION ACT

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 4986, Aviation Safety and Capacity Expansion Act of 1990.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving clauses 2 and 6 of Rule XXI against specified paragraphs of H.R. 5019, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule waives clause 2 of Rule XXI against the amendments by Representative Skaggs of Colorado, or his designee and Representative Scheuer of New York, or his designee printed in section 2 of the rule. Section 3 of the

rule provides that, for purposes of sections 302 and 311 of the Congressional Budget Act, as they apply to the Committee on Appropriations and consideration of general appropriations bills, amendments thereto or conference reports thereon, in the House of Representatives, the Congress shall be considered to have adopted H. Con. Res. 310, as adopted by the House on May 1, 1990. Section 3 of the rule further states that the allocations in the Budget Committee report (H. Rept. 101-455) are to be considered as the allocations made pursuant to section 302(a) of the Budget Act. Finally, section 3 of the rule provides that this section of the resolution shall cease to apply upon final adoption by the Congress of a budget resolution for fiscal year 1991. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bevill, Panetta, Penny, Skaggs, Myers, and Frenzel.

SCIENCE AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology continued hearings on Science and Technical Education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SMALL BUSINESS LEGISLATION

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 4793, Small Business Reauthorization and Amendments Act of 1990; H.R. 4773, to authorize the President to call and conduct a National White House Conference on Small Business; H.R. 2283, White House Conference on Small Business Act; H.R. 4816, Rural Small Business Enhancement Act of 1990; S. 1036, to improve the economic community and educational wellbeing of rural America (Title VIII and IX); and H.R. 2947, Women's Business Procurement Assistance Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Katherine M. Bulow, Deputy Administrator, SBA.

MEDICARE WASTE AND ABUSE

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on fiscal year 1991 budget issues relating to waste and abuse in the Medicare program. Testimony was heard from Janet Shikles, Director, Health Financing and Policy Issues, GAO; Michael F. Mangano, Deputy Inspector General, Evaluations and Inspections, Office of Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services; Dr. Roger C. Herdman, Assistant Director, Health and Life Sciences, OTA; and public witnesses.

U.S.-MEXICO ECONOMIC RELATIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on U.S.-Mexico economic relations. Testimony was heard from Representatives de la Garza, Richardson and Kolbe; Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative; Ronald A. Cass, Vice Chairman, U.S. International Trade Commission; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 28.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

Joint Meetings

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the accuracy of the Census Bureau's formula for measuring poverty, focusing on changes in families and family needs, after receiving testimony from John Weicher, Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development for Policy Development and Research; and Kathleen K. Scholl, American Association of Retired Persons, and Robert Greenstein, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, both of Washington, D.C.

SCHOOL-TO-WORK TRANSITION

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Education and Health concluded hearings to examine certain strategies to better prepare non-college bound youth for the transition from school to the work force, after receiving testimony from Ray Uhalde, Administrator, Strategic Planning and Policy Development, Department of Labor; Franklin Frazier, Director, Education and Employment Issues, General Accounting Office; Gorden Ambach, Council of Chief State School Officers, Washington, D.C.; and Marc Tucker, National Center on Education and the Economy, Rochester, New York.

ACT FOR BETTER CHILD CARE

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3, to authorize funds to expand Head Start programs and programs carried out under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to include care services, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced as follows: S. 2747–2751, and S.J. Res. 335.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2749, to provide a supplemental authorization of appropriations for fiscal year 1991 for the Department of State and the United States Information Agency. (S. Rept. No. 101–334)

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